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## Engineer Estimates Cost of Pavement at \$30,000

At the Board of Trade meeting held last Saturday evening, the committee recently appointed to interview the property owners on Main street re the construction of a permanent road, reported they had secured the signatures of the majority of owners, and that this petition would shortly be forwarded to the Town Council asking that this work be undertaken as early as possible.

Mr. McKenzie, an engineer in the employ of the public department of the Canada Cement Co., was present on invitation of the Board, and gave the following interesting information relative to the matter under discussion:—

He said he was pleased to have the opportunity of discussing the question of concrete roads, and did not propose to tell the people of Coleman what they should or should not do with regards to improving their thoroughfares, but rather intended to give a few facts relative to costs, construction and durability of concrete as a road or street making material.

**Concrete Most Durable**  
At the present time the concrete roads being constructed in Canada and the United States compose well over 90% of the total mileage of hard surfaced roads. This fact alone gives you some idea of the engineers' opinion as to the suitability of concrete as a road making material.

The speaker said that a short time ago the state of Illinois had \$100,000,000 to spend on hard surfaced roads, and in order to prove what would be the best type of road to construct they decided to test out all types. For this purpose they constructed a test road. This road consisted of 63 sections of pavement including all well known types. Over these a fleet of army trucks made 23,000 round trips carrying loads up to 10 tons. Only thirteen sections successfully stood up under this rigid test, of these, ten sections were concrete.

I have just returned from Trail, B.C., where they constructed a mile of concrete street last year, and a hylaw has just passed the third reading of the council to construct over two miles this year.

Concrete has won for itself first place among paying material because of its low first cost and low maintenance. Records show that the average cost of maintaining a concrete road surface 18 feet wide does not exceed \$50 per mile per year.

## Estimated Cost of Work

Now we come to the question of what will concrete cost for the proposed work in Coleman. I have gone very carefully into your proposition and have estimated the total cost at \$30,000. If the property owners in the two blocks it is proposed to pave full width are willing to bear 50% of the total cost of these two blocks, which will mean about \$675 a year on a frontage of 35 feet, then the cost to the town for their share of these two blocks and a 20 foot concrete roadway across the rest of the town will be approximately \$2,150 per year for 20 years.

Your council tell me it will cost approximately this amount to maintain this street with gravel, which I believe is correct from experience of other towns. I also understand that your sidewalk debentures will be paid off in another three years thus setting free \$1700 a year, which if applied towards your pavement would practically carry it.

From these estimates it can readily be seen that the laying of the proposed concrete pavement will not cause your tax rate to be any higher than it otherwise would be.

## LO O.F. 18th Annual Ball One of the Best Ever Held

The eighteenth annual ball, held under the auspices of Coleman Lodge No. 38 and Victoria Rebekah Lodge No. 7, I.O.O.F., in the Opera House on Friday evening of last week, proved to be one of the most enjoyable and successful events of this nature ever held by these organizations.

The large hall was prettily decorated for the occasion and the large crowd in attendance keenly enjoyed the splendid floor and music provided for the occasion. A great deal of credit is due the following committee for the decided success achieved: Messrs. Wm. Hoggan, W. J. Burns, Wm. Borrows, Messdames J. Plante, J. Yates and W. Borrows.



Boy Scout Association

A meeting of the executive committee of the above was held in the Roman Catholic Parish Hall on Monday, March 17th, 1927. There was a good turnout of the members. Mr. G. Key Jones was in the chair.

After some discussion it was decided unanimously that Monday, March 28th, the annual meeting would be held in the Town Hall at 8 p.m., and that on the 19th of April a whist drive, commencing at 8 p.m., in the Anglican Parish hall, and a public initiation of the new scouts would be held between 6 and 7 p.m. opposite the Arena, to be followed with refreshments in the Parish Hall.

Members of the Boy Scout Association are reminded that subscriptions for 1927 are now due and may be received either by the secretary, the Rev. A. D. Currie or the treasurer, Mr. J. Ashbridge.

The Scoutmasters of Troops number one and two report a good attendance and interest in the meetings.

## Should Be 50-50 All The Way

Any discussion The Journal has so far heard in connection with the proposed paving of Main street, full width for two blocks, and narrowing down to 20 feet on either side, there has been no mention made as to what proportion of the cost is to be borne by the property owners on the 20 foot portion.

The suggested 50-50 basis on the two blocks seems to be fair enough, but it would be very unfair to the big majority of taxpayers, who do not reside on the 20 foot portion, if they had to make up the entire 100 per cent of its cost. There does not seem to be any more reason for exempting the property owners on the 20 foot strip from contributing their 50 per cent of the cost than those on the full width pavement.

The taxpayers at large who receive no direct benefit—in fact, will be penalized to a certain extent—in any event, have to pay 100 per cent of the cost at street intersections around the bluff, and other parts on the proposed highway, and they should not be called upon to pay any more than half of the cost of the entire stretch of pavement.

## Coleman's Financial Statement Compared With Blairmore

This week The Journal received a copy of the Town of Coleman's financial statement and that of the school. We mention their arrival not because it has any new value, but as a matter of record.

In comparing the former statement with the one issued by our neighboring town of Blairmore, we have noticed the following, which may be of interest to the ratepayers of Coleman:—

The mill rate in Blairmore for 1926 was 20 mills, the mill rate in Coleman for the same year was 46 mills. Blairmore levies on land and improvements, Coleman on land only, both based on 100% value. Blairmore collected approximately \$14,000, Coleman something over \$10,000. Blairmore had a credit bank balance on Dec. 31st, 1926 of over \$17,000, Coleman's credit bank balance was nil.

Light and water cost the citizens of Blairmore a little over \$20,000, and these public utilities made a profit of over \$5,000. The Coleman statement does not show what the consumers here paid for this service, but it is safe to assume there was no surplus. Blairmore expended over \$6,000 on public works, Coleman about \$1600. Blairmore spent over \$2,000 for health and relief, Coleman a trifle over \$1,000. Blairmore gave grants and donations amounting to \$365, Coleman \$50. Blairmore expended nearly \$500 on park improvements and maintenance, Coleman less than \$250. Blairmore contributed over \$700 to a swimming pool, Coleman nil.

Blairmore out of current revenues added over \$1200 worth of equipment to their fire department, Coleman spent \$610 for the same purpose. Blairmore's printing, stationery and postage cost them \$385, Coleman spent \$263. About the only items Coleman overspent Blairmore according to these statements was for street light and water, salaries and legal expense.

Even a very superficial comparison of the two statements must force any Coleman ratepayer to the conclusion that the present system under which our municipal business is transacted fails to get the same results as that enjoyed by our neighbors in Blairmore. Just why this should be we will leave to some of our municipal experts to elucidate.

## Rink to Close Saturday Night

This week-end will bring to a close activities at the Coleman Crystal Arena. The 1926-27 season has been a long one. Both skaters and curlers have enjoyed the best season for many years past, between three and four months of almost uninterrupted cold weather has provided excellent ice conditions during the greater part of this time.

Financially the Rink Company, owing to very little revenue coming in from hockey, have had one of the most discouraging years in the history of the company; and there is little doubt but what a deficit will result on this year's operations.

A word of commendation at this time is due to caretaker, Mr. A. E. Knowles, who has at all times given first class service to the patrons of both the skating and curling rinks, proving himself to be a very efficient and popular caretaker.

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## C.P.R. Coal Orders May Be Known This Week

According to reliable information to hand, this week may see the placing in the steam coal fields of The Pass, very large coal contracts by the Canadian Pacific Railway. As this company is the big consumer of Pass steam coal, these are anxious days for both coal operators and miners, to say nothing of those engaged in every line of business throughout the district.

For some time past rumors have had it that the Canadian Pacific Railway are this year placing a record order for coal with the mines of the Crow's Nest Pass. Just how much truth there is in these reports it is impossible to say, but there is no denying the fact that all residents in The Pass hope these rumors prove true, as it means much to us all.

## A Novel Prize List

To the Hand Hills Lake Curling Club, situate about 18 miles south of Hanna, Alta., goes the honor of introducing the most unique curling prizes the writer has ever heard about. At a hospital held their two weeks ago the winner of the Grand Challenge event received an artistically decorated milk can, along with four pigs; in the Farmers' Special, the winners received a strainer pan, bearing the club's insignia, together with four geese; while four porcupines went to the winner of the Consolation. We imagine even a curler would require to have a very thick skin to receive much consolation from a porcupine, although there is no denying he has many good points and might very fittingly be given to the winner of a "Points" competition.

## EDITORIAL NOTES

Most of the towns and cities in Canada have already taken steps to organize a community celebration to commemorate the Dominion Diamond Jubilee on July 1st, 1927.

The Journal would like to see some one of our public bodies start the ball rolling here in order that ample time may be had to provide a fitting celebration on this historic occasion.

Twenty-nine American students have recently committed suicide, most of them because of failure in their studies. This confirms the suspicion that there are really some students who go to university to study.

They say a poor man can't get in the senate, but anyway, there's heaven.

Premier Musculini is reported to have made the statement that "woman neither inspires nor creates," to which Lady Frances Balfour replies that one woman must have had a hand in creating Musculini.

Every week trains leave Manitoba carrying the finest fish in the world from Lake Winnipeg to Chicago, New York and Montreal. The same engines draw back hundreds of carloads of fish for consumption here. May sound fishy—but it isn't—it's business.

Lloyd George says the Chinese situation is puzzling. So's your old Chinese laundry ticket.

"If to advertise be folly,  
What a lot of fools there be  
Who unto their lack of wisdom  
Owe their great prosperity."

## Local and General Briefs.

### Hurrah For St. Patrick

Today, the 17th of Old Ireland, every Irishman ought to be more than ever proud of his nationality, begorrah!

Rev. W. T. Young, of Blairmore, will occupy the pulpit in St. Paul's United Church on Sunday evening next. The morning service will be taken by either Mr. R. Holmes or Mr. J. Fairhurst.

Mrs. Robert Evans recently returned from Seattle where she was called owing to the illness and subsequent death of her brother, Mr. John Shone. Since her return Mrs. Evans has received many heartfelt expressions of sympathy from Coleman friends in her sad loss, and keenly appreciates these kind sentiments tendered to her.

The last of the Curling Club competitions, the Morrison Cup, will reach the finals sometime this week. Rinks skipped by A. M. Morrison and E. F. Gars are in the running, each having lost four games to date.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Powell are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son and heir at their home on Monday of this week.

The Girls Hockey Club of Coleman are holding a series of dances, the first of which will take place in the K. of P. hall on Thursday, March 24th. Dancing from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission, gents 50c, ladies 25c. Good music, good floor. Everybody welcome.

The ladies of St. Alban's W. A. are holding a Sale of Work and Home Cooking on Saturday, April 16th. Tea will also be served.

Mr. R. B. Forsyth, a former resident of Coleman, and one time principal of the school here, has a prize winning fiction story in the current issue of McLean's Magazine entitled, "Yellow Clay."

Mr. R. Conn, of Pincher Creek, has accepted a position with the Scott Fruit Company, taking over his new duties last week.

The Rev. H. J. Bevan is a patient in the local hospital where he underwent an operation on Friday of last week. He is reported as making good progress towards recovery.

The Trail hockey team, composed mainly of players formerly members of the Crow Senior hockey league, last week won the amateur championship of British Columbia and are in the running for the Allan Cup play-downs.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be postponed until Tuesday evening, March 29th, at the request of the program committee. This meeting will be "Visitor's Night." Further particulars will appear in next week's Journal.

### Card of Thanks

Mrs. William White and Mr. Sidney White desire to thank all who supplied cars and sent letters of condolence in their recent sad bereavement, and to the following for floral tributes:—McGillivray Creek Coal Company, McGillivray Creek Mine Officials, International Mine Officials, The Coleman Ambulance Corps, The Tuxis Boys, The W. A. of St. Alban's Church, U.M.W. of C., I.O.O.F. Lodge No. 38, B.P.O.E. Lodge No. 117, Mr. and Mrs. Harborne and Ivy, Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barringham, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown, The Graham Family, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Hope and Connie.

### A Modest Suggestion

Now that they are making beautiful lingerie out of wood pulp, it might be a good plan to see that advertising messages are properly clothed.

Rastus—"Nigger, ah who does believe in die evolution theory; you also does look like you 'volved from a monkey."

Brown—"Nigger, ah believe in evolution, too, an' nigger you looks liked you ain't 'volved yet."

Saturday, March 19th, the local picture theatres will show Mary Pickford's latest picture, "Sparrows." There will be a matinee for children at 2 p.m., admission 10c. In the evening both theatres will show this big feature at their regular performance.

A local was got off a good one this week when he said: "Isn't it strange that our neighboring town of Blairmore which had the misfortune to lose about \$4,000 owing to defalcations by a certain trusted official, has a credit bank balance of over \$17,000, while Coleman, with admittedly honest administrators, has no credit bank balance at all?" This but proves the old saying: "The truth is stranger than fiction."

The girls of the Golden Key and Golden Star Mission Bands of St. Paul's United Church, are holding a St. Patrick's Tea and Panty Sale in the club rooms on Saturday, March 19th, from 2.30 to 5.30 p.m.

### Card of Thanks

Mr. S. White wishes to thank the people of Coleman for their kindness to his mother-in-law, their recent and bereavement, and is very grateful to the Rev. Mr. Currie, Mr. J. Cox and Mr. E. Beart, for their consideration in making the funeral arrangements during his absence.

Mr. W. J. Harris and Mr. F. G. Harris, who have been residing in Bellevue for about two years, have this week moved to Coleman and taken up their residence on Main street, next door to J. Rushon's residence. Mr. W. J. Harris is well known throughout The Pass as a musician and has a large number of violin pupils in Coleman.

According to a special auditors' report appearing in last week's Nanton News on the operation of the electric light plant in the Town of Nanton, the town lost over twelve thousand dollars in ten years, or an average loss in operation of over twelve hundred dollars a year in generating its own power. The taxpayers of Nanton are shortly to vote on giving a franchise to the Calgary Power Co. to supply the town with electricity for light and power.

A slight error crept into the item in last week's Journal dealing with the annual meeting of the Scouts Association and the entertainment being held by this local organization. The date of the annual meeting should have read Monday, March 28th, while that of the whist drive, bean feast, etc., takes place on Tuesday, April 19th.

Mr. Paul Chudek, whose eyesight has been failing for several years, and recently has become blind, left on Monday's local for Calgary, where he will take a training course for the blind under Dominion government supervision. Mr. Chudek is a highly respected member of the Coleman I. O. O. F. lodge, which organization has taken a great interest in helping him in his misfortune.

Mr. Sidney White, who came down from Edmonton to attend his father's funeral last week, returned on Sunday to resume his studies at the University.







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## DIAMOND JUBILEE YEAR SEES CANADA FORGING AHEAD.

During the past two years, Canadian agriculture, mining, fishing, manufacture and transportation have been experiencing a fundamental prosperity which indicates an insistent world demand for the varied products of Canadian industries. That a country with a population of less than ten million people should have exported \$1,271,000,000 worth of goods in 1925, and \$1,269,000,000 worth in 1926, implies a tremendous productivity per capita. Canada is now the leader in the production of newspaper, asbestos, nickel, cobalt and salmon, and furnishes the world's largest exportable wheat supplies. Since Canada also stands second in the per capita number of telephones in use and in the production of automobiles and lumber; third in gold and silver production; seventh in steel production and tenth in that of coal, it is evident that the prevailing prosperity is dependent upon a healthy condition in many industries rather than upon a temporary expansion in some single line.

This rapid development of the natural resources of the country is attracting widespread investment interest and has resulted in the investment of about five and one-half billion dollars from foreign sources. Of this amount, about three billion has come from the United States and two billion from Great Britain. The major items of British investment have been public securities, railway, mortgage, banking and insurance securities, while a large proportion of money from the United States has been invested in mining, forestry and manufacturing. One result of this conservative policy on the part of the British investor has been that he has received a much lower return on his investment than that which has accrued to the investor from the United States, who has been more directly interested in primary production.

In 1926, the products of Canadian mines had a value of two hundred and twenty-five million dollars; in 1926, the value aggregated two hundred and forty two million dollars, a new record. Besides the important minerals mentioned

above, there are also important mines of zinc, talc, feldspar, mica and graphite. Perhaps the most important developments of the past year have been the exploration of twenty oil fields in the West, resulting in the location of a number of large producing wells in Alberta; the discovery of promising deposits of gold in the Red Lake area, and of gold, zinc and copper in the Rouyn area. The construction of a smelter is now under way at Rouyn, and this year, tin and antimony are being refined at Trail. In his annual speech, Sir Herbert Holt, President of The Royal Bank of Canada, said, "Although the mineral industry is third in importance in Canada, the greater part of our land area is as yet unprospected and only sufficiently explored as to indicate in a general way its main geological features and prospective mineral wealth. With technical prospecting reaching further and further afield, and utilizing the latest scientific apparatus (in the way of aeroplanes for transportation and electrical methods for prospecting), I feel that the development of the mining industry will be the outstanding feature of the next decade."

## THREE DAYS ON TARIFFS

The modern Tariff Board is a place where protectionists' balloons are pricked and protectionist bubbles are dissipated. The board met at half past ten on the morning of January 18. Quite a little band of watchers had gathered together. The first to the mat was R. M. Wolvin. Mr. Wolvin is the head of the British Empire Steel Corporation Ltd. You have heard of it before. This institution has been in politics in Canada for a good many years. If there is anything for which it has not asked, history does not record the fact. On this particular occasion it demanded a duty on Anthracite screenings and coke produced from its own mines and used in the process of smelting its own iron from its own mines in its own plant. Personally, I should be tickled to death to give these gentlemen all they ask, but there are other people more deserving. What about a bonus to our fishermen when they are eating their own fish? And why

not a bonus to the farmer on every bushel of seed he sows? But no farmer ever thought of asking for that! It's only a steel magnate with a bountiful income who can develop sufficient gall to make these preposterous requests.

## Hard Fighting

Still Mr. Wolvin did not get very far. He is a born strategist. He was under the impression that he could come before the board and get the whole thing fixed up in time to catch the evening train for Montreal, and so get back to the quiet contemplation of his rich pickings in the eventide. But the best laid schemes of mice and men go glimmering down the after-gang-plank. A tariff board doesn't work that way. In days of old we were told that:

"Each bloomin' protectionist gets what he axes, And the people their usual soft solder and taxes."

It's not that way now. Mr. Wolvin read a long brief. When he was through with it I had the pleasure of asking for an adjournment for 30 days. About 14 other opposing parties supported my contention. It was only right that we should have time to consider the thing! Opposition came from as far west as Alberni, as far east as Halifax. The makers of coke from Winnipeg were present. Importers of coal from Ontario were there. All this brings out the essential difference between the old and the new method of handling a tariff case.

Tin, Tin! Some time ago an application came before the board asking for a duty on tin. These chaps were going to bring in the tin from Bolivia—smelt it in Quebec and sell it to those manufacturers in the Province of Ontario who use the tin in some form or another in the production of their finished product. And their name is legion! Manufacturers of dairy utensils, automobiles, rabbit metal and scores of others use tin in some form. Now all of these users of tin are manufacturers. Get that point clear. They are not wild men from the West who believe in low tariffs or sanguinary radicals who desire to have all things torn up by the roots or thrown to the dogs. They are the real flower of the protectionist flock, but they did not support the application. Instead of that they hired an eminent K. C. from Montreal. He prepared an elaborate brief, he argued for two hours and a half to prove his contention that the Dominion of Canada would be poorer and not richer if this application were granted. I have heard a good many discussions of the tariff. I have been present when some very able farmers tore protectionists' arguments to shreds and tatters, but his was the first time in my life I ever had the privilege of listening to a lawyer, and a highly paid one at that, contending with forensic eloquence, that raising a tariff would be a dirty day's work and a real injury to our beloved land. And the bill was paid by the manufacturers! Smile at that!—By R. J. Deschamps.

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# Publicity As the Basic Factor In Development of Markets for Natural Products of Canada

Publicity as the basic factor in successful merchandising is receiving an increasingly large measure of attention at this time. The movement is not confined to this continent, where the art of advertising was first cultivated. It has spread to Great Britain and the continent of Europe and before long the world is likely to see a rivalry in that direction that cannot but exert a marked educational effect. Addressing the annual convention of the Fruit Growers' Association of Ontario and the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association at Hamilton, when presenting the report of the Canadian Horticultural Council for last year, Mr. E. H. Lake, of Montreal, stressed the importance of an organized campaign of advertising. Voicing the opinion that the Canadian apple was the finest in the world, he pointed out that through advertising, fruit growers could educate the public to eat a baked apple instead of a grape-fruit for breakfast. Instead of sending our money out to foreign countries, Canadians should buy their own products. This is sound advice, and the way to give it practical effect is by utilizing in every possible direction the publicity methods that have proved their ability to create demand and profitable business enterprises.

Earlier in the year Mr. J. Allan Ross, Canadian manager of the William Wrigley Company, a convincing example of a concern built up and maintained through extensive advertising of a product of defined quality, declared in Toronto that no land nor people is blest with greater semi-dormant riches than Canada. He pointed out that Britain and the United States provide a market for 150,000,000 people to whom the offer of Canadian opportunity can be made. But the process will be very slow if an intensive selling of that opportunity is not carried on in a sound and reasonable way over the next five years. Mr. Ross suggested that a sum of \$5,000,000 should be placed in the Federal budget every year for the next three years, to be spent specifically in telling the people of Great Britain and the United States about Canada during the next three years, her golden opportunity and certain future. That, he said, would be good salesmanship. Possibly mention of a sum like \$5,000,000 may seem ridiculous to many people. But when one considers the immense sums appropriated by companies concerned for publicity purposes that have only a small fraction of the wares Canada has to offer, the suggestion assumes another aspect. It definitely planned and carried out, advertising is really an investment with much greater certainty of profit than can be assumed in the case of less extensive and varied marketable offerings.

## Would Produce Sugar for Prairies

Alberta Sees Possibilities of Supplying Sufficient Sugar for Western Market

The possibility of Alberta becoming the domestic producer of sugar for the entire Prairie Provinces was suggested by T. G. Wood, district manager of the Canadian Sugar Factories at Edmonton, who stated where a room for at least eight or ten more factories with a capacity of 1,600 tons of beets per day. Producing sugar for the entire population would mean the utilization of about 100,000 acres of irrigated land which would employ 500 men.

So valuable was the Mexican cacao bean up to fifty years ago that the population used it as money.

### Tomato is a Fruit

That old question regarding the status of the tomato, which has been stirring up strife for years, has finally been settled by Order-in-Council of the Dominion Government. Henceforth the tomato is to be termed a fruit, in so far as the Dominion Department of Agriculture is concerned, according to a statement by Fruit Commissioner McIntosh at the Ontario Fruit Growers' Convention in Hamilton.

Lien was on the witness stand. "Are you positive," inquired the prosecutor, "that you can't remember where your husband was on the night this crime was committed?" "Er, Ah, didn't," replied the witness firmly, "den Ah issued a good roll pin with an innocent man's hand, dad's all!"

Opera singers are entitled to a 10 per cent. increase in salary when the performances are broadcast by radio, a Berlin court has decreed.

## Combating the Weed Pest

Aggressive Campaign by Farmers Would Soon Bring About Marvellous Change

The world's greatest "Teacher," in making applications of truth, referred to the flowers of the field, "how they grow; they tell not, neither do they spin." In Western Canada, its beautiful native flowers are being rapidly eliminated by cultivated fields, and the virgin beauty of the prairies is gone forever. In their place we have waving fields of grain, which, while not appealing so much to the aesthetic in man, does supply his daily wants.

In these vast fields, which are so much admired, there is a serious menace showing itself more and more each year. This is the weed pest. The farmer wants to get busy. Consider how the weeds grow. If we may judge by their profligacy it certainly looks as though there was considerable toll asked for the farmer if he hopes to combat the weed pest. Unfertilized fields, the soil fast enough without having it done by weeds, which are almost useless to both man and beast, at least so far as is known at present.

What a short-sighted policy it looks to see so much of our grain being taken up by noxious weeds of various kinds. We believe present conditions can be vastly improved and the matter is entirely up to the farmers themselves. If they would band themselves together and formulate a live aggressive campaign, a year or so would see a marvellous change. When we realize how much good grain is crowded out by weed plants, the loss in yield, psychic for time and thrashing, and carrying to market that which in the end the farmers are docked for, surely good interest would be earned for the effort put forth.

Better to go busy at once for each year you tell not in this matter, the stronger and more firmly entrenched becomes the enemy. Economy and others may tell our farmers about these things, but the farmers are the only one who are able to apply the remedy.

### Chief Scout Celebrates Birthday

Sir Robert Baden-Powell, founder of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movements, celebrated his 70th birthday recently which was also the birthday of his wife. Both are at present in South Africa. There are now 2,600,000 members of the organization which Sir Robert founded in 1908 "to promote good citizenship in rising generations."

### Gambling Profitable for France

Wherever costly it may have been to submerge themselves, gamblers of chance were profitable for the French Government during 1926. Receipts from the taxation of the casinos were 225,000,000 francs, or about \$10,800,000. This represented a huge increase over the previous year.

## Big Trade With Russia

Soviet Republic Places Heavy Orders For Canadian Agricultural Machinery

Orders for agricultural implements placed in Canada by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics this year to date are already twice as large as those placed with Canadian firms for the whole of 1925. According to figures supplied by the U.S.S.R. Trade Delegation in Canada, enough orders have been bought here in the first six weeks of the present year to cost 21,000 acres per day for a twelve-day buying season; enough binders were bought to cost 600,000,000 sheaves of grain from 42,760 acres—these blades, if stretched out with a yard space intervals would cover 6½ miles, while the mowers, placed abreast, would span 11 miles. Some 3,000 horses will be required to draw these machines. Binder twine bought by the delegation, in the period mentioned, runs to 5,000,000 lbs. or just half of Canada's total exports to all countries in 1925. Incidentally, the delegation points out that while, before the revolution only 500 tractors were in use in what was then known as the Russian Empire, some 20,000 are now being ordered in the same territory.

## Western Hay for China

Two Hundred Tons of Alfalfa Shipped to the Orient

Two hundred tons of alfalfa hay were shipped recently from the Leithbridge, Alberta district for China—the first shipment of Canadian hay to that country so far as is known. The hay was moved to the Pacific coast by a special C.P.R. through freight of 20 cars, and was loaded at Vancouver on the Blue Line Tysarders for Hong Kong.

The order for the large shipment was received by W. G. MacKinnon, manager of the Southern Alberta Co-operative Association, from the British government agricultural department, London. It is thought that possibly the order was made as a result of the British emergency troops in the disturbed area.

Only No. 1 well baled hay was sent in the hope that the shipment will be the opening of a large trade with the Far East.

### Punishing Profiters

Profiteering grocers are being punished in a new way by the Paris police, who forbid them to make their usual sidewalk display of goods for varying periods. When sentencing offenders to withdraw their wares from the sidewalk the Prefect tells them: "Your customers will know why you have no display, and they will know they will do well not to patronize you."

A clock keeps right on working when it goes on a strike; that's where it gets the bulk on a man.

# Government Action Is Urged To Protect the High Standard Of Canadian Seed Wheat

## Scotchman Built First Reaper

Presbyterian Minister Worked Out Idea Hundred Years Ago

Celebration of the centenary of the creation of the first practical reaping machine is coming soon and its date may surprise those who view modern farm machinery as of this invariable age. Of course, it was really so late as 1877 that the reaper began its grand career, though Cyrus McCormick's first appeared in 1831. One John Common had once produced a mechanical one. The real start of the wonder machine that was the father of all present power reapers was in the brain of Rev. Patrick Bell, Presbyterian minister of Carmichael, Fife, Scotland. He built the first efficient reaping machine in his spare time—and his old hours were few. Related honors will be done to his inventors.

Rev. Patrick Bell was a farmer's son, and though he early headed for the ministry, he was never so absorbed in theology that he did not recognize the need for a machine that would take off the farmer's shoulders the labor of harvesting grain by processes dating back to prehistoric times. As a youth Patrick experimented, and after he had passed into the ministry and was picturing sermons to his verified flock on the Sabbath, week days he continued to study this agricultural problem, resulting in the successful building of a reaper in 1828. It operated a series of selectors fastened on the "knife board."

However, McCormick's superior mechanism and the superior driving power put behind the United States invention prevented the Scotchman from profiting as fully as he should. But neither McCormick nor Scotland, a whole has quite forgotten the inventor minister, and the ceremonies of the coming summer will be held both in his own village and in St. Giles' Cathedral, Edinburgh, where thanks will be given for the inspiration that advanced so greatly the interests of an agricultural population.

## Capital for Northern Development

Proposed Paper Mill on Nelson River Would Use Hudson Bay Route

Application for a timber limit of 115,000 cords in the Nelson basin, which has been made to the federal government, foretells the construction of a 600-ton paper mill at White Mt. Falls, on the Nelson River, and shipment of the mill's newspaper product to Europe by the Hudson Bay route. The International Paper company, according to reliable information received in Winnipeg, is behind the development project. The expected completion of the Hudson Bay railway this year is understood to have been one of the important factors in deciding to go ahead with the \$20,000,000 scheme.

Favorable results from the Flin Flou ore tests have made the development of a northern power site essential. It is understood, and a paper mill at White Mt. has long been considered a necessity to round out the undertaking and share the big capital cost of the development of the Flin Flou. Horse power at the White Mt. site is estimated at 400,000.

Manitoba Free Press.

## Diversified Farming

Alberta Farmers Getting Away From Straight Wheat Growing

Alberta, formerly almost 100 per cent. straight wheat farming country, has changed radically in this respect in the last fifteen years, and although the wheat yield in the province in 1925 was 113,000,000 bushels, this represented only 45 per cent. of the value of the agricultural products, which totalled \$264,000,000—the greatest in the history of Alberta. Poultry crops are climbing rapidly in the percentage of value, being now 21 per cent., while dairy products are now 54 per cent.

The energies of 8,000 to 10,000 farmers and provide farm labor for approximately 6,000 to 8,000 men. The one factory in operation has already absorbed about 100 European laborers as land workers on the crop.

Fish dried by electrical hydrating plants, it is said, may be kept for years.

It is easier to doze responsibility than it is to do the right.

"He—'I think I met you I thought you had left behind him, and there still carry him far to be of service to Winter Sports enthusiasts in old Quebec."

## Action to amend the Dominion

Seed Act, to protect the grade of Canadian wheat, has been taken by the agricultural committee of the House of Commons, when it recommended that the act be amended to give the Minister of Agriculture the right to refuse a license for the sale of new varieties of wheat for seed purposes until the quality of the new variety has been passed on.

A resolution passed by the committee recommends that the Minister be given the right to refer applications for distribution of new varieties of seed to a board, consisting of the seed commissioner, the Dominion inspector of seed, a representative from the Canadian seed growers' association, a representative of the provincial seed board of the province in which the application originated, and a representative of the wheat pool. It was also recommended that the Minister have power to revoke any license already granted for a new variety of wheat, upon recommendation of the board mentioned.

Hon. W. R. Southwell approved the resolution and asked the committee that legislation would be prepared covering it.

E. J. Garland, Bow River, thought the agriculturalists were in danger of being misled by the seed pool. A person buying seed wheat should be protected, but it should not be made almost impossible for a farmer to experiment with the growth of new varieties of wheat. Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Victoria, B.C., said that the high standard of Canadian wheat should be maintained by the strictest means. Every freedom should be given a farmer to try to develop new varieties, but tall weeds should not be allowed the "quick" growers to dump their products throughout the country without first proving the value of the variety.

## Improvement in the Horse Industry

Increasing Demand Is Noted for Well Bred Horses

Despite the growth and development of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, the stock of Agriculture is able to report from year to year continual improvement in the horse industry and increasing demand. It is added particularly in the western provinces, where stockbreeding is awakening to the fact that in order to meet the needs of future years, says the Dominion Minister of Agriculture in his report for the year ending March 31st last, they must begin breeding now, hence the need to increase of clubs operating under the Federal Assistance Policy conducted by the Live Stock Branch. This policy encourages community breeding and enables breeders to obtain the services of the best and soundest horses at reasonable service fees. It also protects the stallion owner in that he is assured of a fair return on his investment. All stallions are subject to rigid inspection and this, as the Minister points out, coupled with the use of good mares, together with better feeding, care and management of sires, dams and colts, is steadily and surely making for the improvement of Canadian breeds.

## Sugar Beet Outlook

Good Returns are Offered to Beet Growers in Southern Alberta

The Raymond sugar beet outlook is very encouraging at the present time and 8,000 acres will probably be planted this year. The company is guaranteeing a return of 47 per cent. for beet this year, which, on a 12-ton to the acre crop, will return a gross of \$41 an acre for the beet. In addition, the farmer receives the returns from the pulp and the beet tops which, on a 12-ton to the acre crop, are equal to one cutting of alfalfa in field value. He has, in addition, the beetsalts or syrup remaining after the sugar has been extracted, which makes a wonderful food feed.

## Nearly Everyone Drives

There is an automobile for every 6.5 persons in Moose Jaw now, according to figures supplied by the Provincial Secretary. In the year 1925 there were 2,915 motor vehicles, as compared with 2,157 in 1925, and 2,000 in 1924. This is an increase of 36 per cent. over 1925, and 47 per cent. over 1924.

## Alberta Coal Output

Figures of the Alberta Mines Branch show a total coal output in all fields of the province of 6,508,000 tons in 1926, as compared with 5,845,200 in 1925, and 5,100,000 in 1924, the largest in the history of the province, being exceeded in 1920 and 1923.

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1502

An Attractive Frock for Many Occasions

This frock shows to special advantage the charm of combining two materials—so smart this season. The skirt has two pockets in front and two at the back and is gathered to a bodice having a becoming round collar and long fitted sleeves finished with trim cuffs. A narrow belt of the contrasting material completes this chic frock. No. 1502 is shown in sizes 12 and 14 years. Size 10 years requires 2½ yard 36 inch material for dress, and 2½ yard 36 inch contrasting for bodice, collar, cuffs and belt. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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Many Homestead Entries

Yet further increases in homestead filings in Western Canada are already recorded for 1927. The number of homesteads filed in the month of January was 243, as compared with 276 in January, 1926, and increase of 47 filings in Manitoba were 36, against 27; in Saskatchewan 136, as against 145; in Alberta 115, against 100, and in British Columbia 6 against 1.

## Veteran of Canadian Service

Moutie, the lead dog of the Chato Frontenac huskies team, has seen three years active service with the famous Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in the far north. Four years ago he was brought from La Pave, Manitoba, as lead dog for the team in Quebec.

Now in his old age he has very little care and attention, even years of faithful service should have some recompense. This dog is almost human in every way, and particularly where age is concerned; this he recognizes, and often asks in an impatient manner to be put into the team. Beau

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The French court of cassation, the highest court of the country, has ruled that pedestrians are subject to traffic rules like vehicles.

The discovery of a new star of the twelfth magnitude has been announced at Cracow. It was discovered by Assistant Professor Casimir Kordic, lewski, of Cracow University.

Mrs. Amanda Hild, sister-in-law of Louis Hild, famous boxer, is dead at Winnipeg. Mrs. Hild died on a street car from heart disease. She was born in St. Boniface, 55 years ago.

The United States has definitely proposed to Great Britain and Japan a three-power naval limitation conference to meet in Geneva next October, but not earlier than June 1.

Thomas F. Dawson, 60, who attained international prominence during the Great War for his relief work in Belgium as an associate of Dr. Hoover, died recently in Providence, R.I.

The Dominion Government's ice-breaker, the Stanley, has entered the Halifax drydock for a thorough overhauling and refitting preparatory to a voyage to Hudson Bay on survey work.

Opening of the new United States legation at Ottawa may have to be deferred until after July 1, because there are no funds for that purpose, due to the fact that congress failed to enact the deficiency appropriation.

The Royal Air Force is planning an attempt to break the world's distance flight, in a non-stop aeroplane run. A powerful plane is to start from Cranworth, Lincolnshire, and fly in the direction of British India on its fuel and other equipment will permit.

The Canadian Government has been invited to send a delegation to the world agriculture congress called by the Italian Government and to be held at Rome, April 25 next. The Department of Agriculture stated it was unlikely that Canada would be represented.

**Honored the Dairy Cow**  
It is customary to christen a vessel before it leaves on its maiden voyage with champagne but recently one of the largest vessels on the Great Lakes was christened with milk as it was launched from the Manitowish ship building yards. This is certainly doing honor to the dairy cow—Farmer's Advocate.

**Mother Graves' Worm Elixir** for will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective is mild.

In the last ten years, 5,000 patients have been granted American women, more than the total for 160 years previous.

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## Children Cry For "Castoria"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 20 years to relieve babies and children of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind-Colic and Diarrhea; attacking Feverishness arising therefrom, and restoring the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep without opiates.

The genuine has signature of  
**Charles H. Fletcher.**

W. N. U. 1672

## Airmen Ready for Task

France May Bring Ashes of Napoleon's Son to Paris

The French imagination has been fired by the proposal to bring the ashes of the little "King of Rome"—Napoleon's son—from Vienna to Paris to rest beside the tomb of Napoleon under the great dome of the Invalides.

If a decision is reached in answer to the national demand aroused by the proposal of General Mariani, commandant of the Invalides, two of France's greatest airmen are ready to bring the remains to Paris.

Clifford Harmon's organization, the old time flyers, known as "Vedettes Tigres," hail the idea, and have named Pelletier Doley, hero of the Paris-Tokyo flight, and Sadi Lecoq, hero of immemorial air exploits, for the task.

According to information from Vienna, Austria's republican government will not hinder the removal of the ashes of the "Babe of Reichstadt," leaving the matter entirely in the hands of the Hapsburgs.

## Had Terrible Headaches and Was Unable to Sleep

Saskatchewan Man Used Dodd's Kidney Pills With Great Success

Mr. N. Zilan Was Relieved of His Trouble After Taking Short Course of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Lavemore, Sask. (Special)—"I want to tell you just what your Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for me," writes M. N. Zilan, a resident of this place. "I had terrible headaches and could not sleep last after taking two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I commenced to feel fine. I cannot praise this kidney medicine enough and would not be without it in my home."

Prevalent headaches and sleeplessness can usually be attributed to a run down and exhausted condition. Other symptoms such as irritability, third longed feeling, depression and loss of energy are also the outcome of this condition. It is therefore necessary that you take a few weeks' treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills to restore vitality and generally tune up the nervous system.

## Burglary Was Unusual

An unusual burglary took place in England recently, when thieves broke into the surgery of H. Chopin, an ill-ford dentist. They made a selection of 7,000 front and back teeth, and then went on to the operating room, where they found a large number of teeth. They were not satisfied with the selection, and they went on to the operating room, where they found a large number of teeth. They were not satisfied with the selection, and they went on to the operating room, where they found a large number of teeth.

## HEADACHE, COLDS, COSTIVE BOWELS, TAKE "CASCARETS"

Tonight! Clean your bowels and end Headaches, Colds, Sour Stomach

Get a 10-cent box now. You men and women who can't get things right—have headache, constipated bowels, indigestion, flatulence, dizziness, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, uneasy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

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## Helping New Canadians

There can be no more public-spirited work imaginable than that of making the foreigners in our midst good Canadian citizens. If a helping hand is put out to them, if they are not taught the principles of our government and inculcated with the spirit of Canadian citizenship, then instead of being an asset to Canada they become a menace. London Free Press.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powder, which are sure death to worms.

They men are seldom afflicted with fits of melancholy.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 20

### THE CHRISTIAN'S HOPE

Golden Text: In my father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you.—John 14:2.  
Lesson: John 14:1-3; 2 Corinthians 5:1-10; 1 John 2:1-3.  
Devotional Reading: Revelation 21:1-7.

### Explanations and Comments

1. The Promise of Christ, John 14:2.—"Let not your heart trouble; believe in God, believe also in Me."

"Take the Master himself who said it."

To the sorrowful little band, finding an hour of darkness that they could not understand."

"In my Father's house are many mansions," this Jesus comforted them. Our word "mansion" meant originally merely a place of shelter, and accordingly the margin of the Revised Version has the word "abiding place."

In speaking of his own death, Jesus said, "I go away." "I go to the Father." So Paul said, "The time of my departure is at hand. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of life, the which I will receive at the hands of the Lord, at that time."—2 Timothy 4:6-8.

### Might Have Been Worse

During a certain election campaign a candidate in a notorious constituency waged war on some stories about him that appeared in the local paper, and excitedly entered the sanctum of the editor. "Look here!" he cried. "What do you mean by printing all that stuff about me?" "What's the matter with it?" demanded the editor, without showing any signs of perturbation. "What's the matter with it?" roared the perturbed politician. "Why, it's all lies and you know it!" "Well, then, what are you complaining about?" asked the editor with a smile. "How would you like it if we had told the truth about you?"



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Shirring and Yokes Are New This Season



Shirring and Yokes Are New This Season

This picture shows how very attractive a one-piece dress or smock may be. Of particular interest is the manner in which the whole of the garment is shirred to a shaped yoke having a front opening. View A illustrates the dress with long, narrow sleeves gathered to waistbands, useful pocketpieces and a trim belt. View B is the smock with short sleeves, and with the belt omitted. No. 1534 is in sizes 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust. View A, size 38 requires 3 1/2 yards 20 inch material, or 2 1/2 yards 54 inch. View B, size 38 requires 2 1/2 yards 20 inch material. Price 20 cents the pattern.

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## Something New in Russia

Have Just Discovered a New Range of Mountains

The Geological Society of Russia has announced that a new and healthy chain of mountains had been discovered in the Yakutsk expeditions headed by Professor Obolensky, a geologist.

The mountains are located along the Ladakh River. The new range is described as more than 1,000 miles in length, 300 miles wide, with many of the peaks 11,000 feet high.

The range probably will be named after Lenin, the late premier.

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## Was So Nervous The Least Noise Made Her Jump

Mrs. W. H. Yate, Ashern, Man., writes:—"I was bothered very much with my heart and nerves, and the least noise would make me jump and almost stop my heart beating. I told my mother about it one day, and she said that she had long bothered the same way and told me to get a box of



"Once upon a time" in the way babies begin, and after a man goes out once upon a time he begins to tell his wife fables.

For sale everywhere—Minard's List.

## Soviets Have Sent Expedition to Siberia

Will Seek Meteorite Which Fell Twenty Years Ago

The Soviet Government has dispatched an expedition into Siberia to conduct a search for a great, almost mythological meteorite, which is reported to have fallen about 20 years ago.

Scientists, basing their estimates of the meteorite on the descriptions of natives, believe it must weigh at least 200,000 tons. Its radiation, it fell in the Central Siberian forest June 20, 1908, causing the natives many a terrific convulsion and shattering and burning trees over an area of 200 miles.

Government seismographs in Siberia support the long-old story to the extent that they recorded a violent shock on the day fixed by the natives.

Scientists believe that if the meteorite can be found it will yield valuable metal, iron, silver and platinum. The inaccessibility of the region and the sparseness of the population, however, will make it exceedingly difficult to trace.

## Tallest Man in Smallest Country

The tallest man in the world comes from the smallest country in the world. In the tiny republic of Andorra lives Jose Pantoja, who is 7 feet 6 inches tall. Goats, according to libelous experts, was only 19 inches taller than this, but Jose may yet reach that mark, for he is only 19 and still growing.

## Stands a Poor Chance

The New York Central railroad has placed in service the largest locomotive on its rails. It is 85 feet long and weighs 552,000 pounds—and, the Payroll Free Press says, a reckless automobile driver probably can't even deny it.

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## The Swede Smiths

While Americans and Englishmen have through lists of Smiths in their telephone directories, the Swedes are having their difficulties with the Andersens. It has become so difficult to pick out the right Andersen that the postal department has suggested phoning a premium to those who change their names.

## Leads In Asbestos Production

Canada still leads the world in asbestos production. In the year 1926 the Dominion's output was 285,000 tons of a world's total of 340,000 tons, according to the latest computation. Rhodesia furnished 55,000 tons and Russia and Cyprus 25,000.

## Grace "Why did you refuse him?"

Alce "Well, he said he'd do for me and I'm curious."

The first mail station for radio broadcasting in Ireland is being established in Dublin.

## For Sore Throat

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## Spring Millinery Opening

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Our new Spring Millinery will be on display on Saturday and following days. The latest in Spring and Summer Felts will be showing, also the new Tam Crowns in Silk and Straw combinations, in all the newest shades. Come Saturday and get first choice.

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In the District Court of the  
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TO:—  
**BARNEY HARRIGAN, formerly of Coleman.**  
TAKE NOTICE that, an action has been commenced against you in the District Court of the District of Macleod for the cancellation and delivery up of an agreement for sale made between you as purchaser and The International Coal & Coke Company, Limited, as Vendor of Lot 6, Block 10, Coleman 3251, and for forfeiture of all moneys paid thereunder and costs;

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that unless you do within 15 days from the 24th day of March, 1927, cause to be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at Macleod a Statement of Defence or a demand that notice of any applications to be made in the action be given to you, the said Company may apply to the Court for such judgment as it may be entitled to and such judgment may be given in your absence and without further notice to you.

Dated at Coleman the 16th day of March, 1927.  
R. F. BARNES,  
Approved: Solicitor for the Company.  
(Sgt.) A. M. MacDONALD  
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## East Coleman Property Owners Given Clear Title

People wishing to purchase Lots in East Coleman will be given a Clear Title to their Property upon payment of same.

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New Lines in  
**Men's Shoes**

Ladies, Misses & Childrens  
**Fancy Tie Shoes**  
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## Procure Your Radio License

Radio receiving licenses for the fiscal year 1927-1928, commencing April 1st next, will be issued upon application from the 15th of March. All owners of Receiving Sets in The Crow's Nest Pass should apply to the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Blairmore, in person or writing. The fee is the same as before, i. e. \$1.00.

Mr. C. Stevenson met with a painful accident on Wednesday while at work on the International tippie, when a steel cage struck him on the head, inflicting an injury that required six stitches. Charlie will be off duty for some little time as a result of his misfortune.

Miss A. Yuill entertained a number of ladies at her home, at a delightful bridge party on Saturday evening last.

**Mrs. J. Stephenson**  
of Blairmore

Will be in Coleman, on  
**Sat., March 19**

Showing  
**New and Up-to-Date  
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PRINCELY beauty is revealed in every line of the Greatest McLaughlin-Buick Ever Built—in the rich blendings of the Duco colors—in the smart upholstery and interior trim.

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Best Quality Groceries. They save you money in the end

### Flour

When you buy flour let it be Ogilvie's Royal Household. There is nothing better. Every sack guaranteed to give satisfaction.  
Per 98 lb sack \$5.10

### Wheat Special

This week only, you can buy good clean chicken wheat, at per 100 lbs \$2.35  
Oyster Shell or Grit, 8 lbs for .25

### Canned Vegetables

All choice quality and we guarantee every tin to give satisfaction.  
Tomatoes, solid pack, 5 tins for .80  
Peas, 5 tins for \$1.00  
Corn, 5 tins for .95  
Corn on Cob, per tin .40  
Pork and Beans, Libbys, 7 tins for \$1.00  
Spinach, per tin .30  
Asparagus Tips, per tin .45

### Maple Syrup

SPECIAL—One bottle of Old Colony Maple Syrup and 1 package of Old Virginia Pancake Flour for .55

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| B. C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs for                        | \$1.75 |
| Butter, our stock is fresh, 2 lbs for                     | \$1.05 |
| Eggs, fresh extras, 2 dozen for                           | .85    |
| Sunlight Soap, 4 packages for                             | .95    |
| St. Charles Milk, 3 sizes, 3 for .25, 3 for .50 and 3 for | \$1.00 |
| Creamettes, 2 packages for                                | .25    |
| Macaroni, long or ready cut, 2 pks for                    | .35    |
| Palm Olive or Crown Olive Soap, 12 for                    | \$1.00 |
| Royal Crown Cleanser, 8 tins for                          | .35    |
| Monsieur Daise, 2 packages for                            | .25    |
| Prouse, fresh and juicy, 2 lb pkg. for                    | .35    |
| Rice, best Japan, 2 lbs for                               | .25    |

### Jams

Buy the best, Hamsterly Farm. Strawberry, Raspberry, Black Currant, Gooseberry, at per tin .90  
Peach and Apricot, per tin .85  
Plum Jam, per tin .60  
Orange Marmalade, per tin .75

### Flour

Ogilvie's Glenora Flour will make better bread than most of the other brands you can buy. Try a sack. The price is, 98 lbs \$4.85

### Soap Special

Some customers were disappointed the last time, but we expect another shipment of pails this week. You get 1 pkg. R.C. Soap, 1 pkg of Soap Chips, 3 cakes of Naphtha Soap and 1 White enamelled pail for \$1.75

### Canned Fruits

We handle only the best.  
Fruit Salad, 3 tins for \$1.00  
Peaches, sliced or halves, 3 tins for .95  
Pears, 3 tins for \$1.00  
Crushed Pineapple, 3 tins for .95  
Sliced Pineapple, 3 tins for \$1.00  
Sliced Pineapple, Golden Strand, 5 tins \$1.00  
Plums, Lombards, 4 tins for \$1.00  
Logan Berries, 3 tins for \$1.00  
Strawberries and Raspberries, per tin .40  
Apricots, 3 tins for \$1.00

### Jelly Powders

Tuxedo Jelly Powders, all flavors, 3 for .25  
Sheriffs Jelly Powders with Spoon or Fruit Dish premium, per package .30

Salmon, Gold Seal, none better, a tin .25 .50  
Shrimps, per tin .25, per glass .40  
King Oscar Sardines, 2 tins for .35  
Lobster, per tin .30 and .55, per glass .65  
Heints Spaghetti and Cheese, per tin .25  
Oysters, per tin .25  
Soup, Heints Cream of Tomato, 3 tins .40  
Corn Starch, 2 packages for .25  
Potato Flour, 2 packages for .35  
Honey, finest Alberta, 24 lb tin for .65  
Grape Juice, Welch, per bottle .45  
Bird Seed, Brooks, per package .25

### This Week We Have

Lettuce, Oranges, Bananas, Rhubarb and Grape Fruit. Our stocks are always fresh.